

MINISTRY GUIDE

7 April 2024

To all who are weary, struggling and burdened, we welcome you in the name of Jesus Christ.

Service Leader: Yanadi Tan Ivory Preacher: Mark Collins

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I Sing the Mighty Power of God

I sing the mighty power of God
That made the mountains rise,
That spread the flowing seas abroad,
And built the lofty skies.
I sing the wisdom that ordained
The sun to rule the day;
The moon shines full at His
command
And all the stars obey.

I sing the goodness of the Lord
That filled the earth with food;
He formed the creatures with His
Word
And then pronounced them good.
Lord, how Thy wonders are
displayed
Where'er I turn my eye:
If I survey the ground I tread
Or gaze upon the sky!

There's not a plant or flower below But makes Thy glories known; And clouds arise and tempests blow By order from Thy throne; While all that borrows life from Thee Is ever in Thy care, And ev'rywhere that man can be, Thou, God, art present there.

Like a River Glorious

Like a river glorious Is God's perfect peace, Over all victorious In its bright increase; Perfect, yet it floweth Fuller ev'ry day, Perfect, yet it groweth Deeper all the way. (Chorus)
Stayed upon Jehovah,
Hearts are fully blest,
Finding, as he promised,
Perfect peace and rest.

Hidden in the hollow Of his blessed hand, Never foe can follow, Never traitor stand; Not a surge of worry, Not a shade of care, Not a blast of hurry, Touch the spirit there.

(Chorus)

Ev'ry joy or trial
Falleth from above,
Traced upon our dial
By the Sun of Love.
We may trust him fully
All for us to do;
They who trust him wholly
Find him wholly true.

(Chorus)

All the Way My Saviour Leads Me

All the way my Savior leads me; What have I to ask beside? Can I doubt his tender mercy, Who through life has been my guide? Heav'nly peace, divinest comfort, Here by faith in him to dwell; For I know, whate'er befall me, Jesus doeth all things well. For I know, whate'er befall me, Jesus doeth all things well.

All the way my Savior leads me, Cheers each winding path I tread, Gives me grace for ev'ry trial, Feeds me with the living bread. Though my weary steps may falter, And my soul a-thirst may be, Gushing from the rock before me, Lo, a spring of joy I see; Gushing from the rock before me, Lo, a spring of joy I see!

All the way my Savior leads me O the fullness of his love!
Perfect rest to me is promised
In my Father's house above:
When my spirit, clothed, immortal,
Wings its flight to realms of day,
This my song through endless ages:
Jesus led me all the way;
This my song through endless ages:
Jesus led me all the way!

O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer, Greatest treasure of my longing soul, My God, like You there is no other; True delight is found in You alone. Your grace, a well too deep to fathom, Your love exceeds the heavens' reach, Your truth, a fount of perfect wisdom, My highest good and my unending need.

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer, Strong defender of my weary heart, My sword to fight the cruel deceiver, And my shield against his hateful darts;

My song when enemies surround me,

My hope when tides of sorrow rise, My joy when trials are abounding, Your faithfulness, my refuge in the night. O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer, Gracious Saviour of my ruined life, My guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders,

In my place You suffered bled and died.

You rose, the grave and death are conquered;

You broke my bonds of sin and shame!

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer, May all my days bring glory to Your Name.

He Will Hold Me Fast

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast; When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast.

I could never keep my hold Through life's fearful path; For my love is often cold; He must hold me fast.

(Chorus)
He will hold me fast,
He will hold me fast;
For my Saviour loves me so,
He will hold me fast.

Those He saves are His delight, Christ will hold me fast; Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast. He'll not let my soul be lost; His promises shall last; Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast.

(Chorus)

For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast; Justice has been satisfied, He will hold me fast. Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast Till our faith is turned to sight, When he comes at last!

(Chorus)

WELCOME

If you are new with us, we'd love to get to know you.

Connect with us by filling up this form at gracebaptistchurch.sg/welcome or through this QR code.



OUR LIFE TOGETHER

NURSERY

7 Apr (Sun) 9-10.30am, Room 503 For babies to 3 year-olds. Contact Siew Ting (siewting@gracebaptistchurch.sg) if you have any questions!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

7 Apr (Sun) 9.30-10.30am For children aged 3-12 years. If you have questions, or if it is your first time here, please visit the welcome table outside the sanctuary.

Today's lesson from the Gospel Project curriculum is "Jesus fed many people" from Matthew 15 and Mark 8. Jesus fed the people who were hungry. Jesus can give us everything we need: forgiveness, peace with God, and life with Him forever.

CHURCH PICNIC

10 Apr (Wed) 8.30-11.30am Join us for our first picnic of 2024. It will be held at Fort Canning, specifically at the open area next to Old Married Soldiers' Quarter and behind the Fort Canning Centre. More details <u>here</u>.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

10 Apr (Wed)7.30-9pm, Room 310

All are welcomed to be equipped to read and listen to God's Word, that we may speak the truth in love and grow in the body. This week's study is on 1 Samuel 12:1-25. More information can be found on the website.

REPAINTING WORKS

Until 30 Apr

Church building repainting work is currently taking place until 30 Apr 2024. We encourage worshippers to exercise caution and keep clear where works are being done. If you have any questions or feedback, you may contact our Technical Executive Mr Soe (9019 1300).

PRECEPT

Beginning 4 May 3.15-5pm, Room 310AB The ladies will be studying the book of Daniel starting in May. They will be looking into living out a biblical worldview and gaining an understanding of the time of the end. All ladies are welcomed, and you may contact Yoke Meng (9730 1670) if you are keen.

COLLECTION (MARCH 2024)

General: \$189,124.50 (YTD \$428,977.19) Missions: \$53,214.83 (YTD \$139,388.40)

Find out more about events at https://www.english.gracebaptistchurch.sg/events or sign up for weekly updates via Grace enews at gracebaptistchurch.sg/enews.

SERVE -

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY We are looking for 5 volunteers to serve as Sunday School teachers (once a month). If you are available, or are keen to find out more, you can contact us at kidsmin@gracebaptistchurch.sg.

SPEAKING THE TRUTH —

Let us use the words of our Statement of Faith to shape our understanding of God and to worship Him in truth. This month, we will focus on the ninth section, on the Mission of the Church:

It is the duty and privilege of every follower of Christ and of every church of the Lord Jesus Christ to endeavour to make disciples of all nations. The new birth of our spirit by God's Holy Spirit means the birth of love for others. Missionary effort on the part of all rests thus upon a spiritual necessity of the regenerate life, and is expressly and repeatedly commanded in the teachings of Christ. The Lord Jesus Christ has commanded the preaching of the gospel to all nations. It is

the duty of every child of God to seek constantly to win the lost to Christ by verbal witness supported by a Christian lifestyle, and by other methods in harmony with the gospel of Christ.

You can also read the rest of the Statement on our website (https://www.english.gracebaptistchurch.sg/what-we-believe).

GIVE -

Giving is a way we worship God. You can now also give to the two funds via PayNow.

General Fund
Supports the
ministry of the
church



Missions Fund Supports the work of our missionaries



PRAY

Pray for our church this week:

- 1. For Pastor Eugene who is on his sabbatical
- 2. For the youths and young adults in our midst

We will also pray for our Chinese-speaking Congregation at GBC this week:

1. For their assistant pastor candidate and their decision on hiring at their meeting on 14 April 2024.

We pray for **Guinea-Bissau**:

1. Poverty, political unrest, and violent conflict combine to burden the population. Pray that God would raise up righteous leaders for the people.

If you have any prayer needs, please drop the pastoral staff a note via gracebaptistchurch.sg/pastoralprayer or through this QR code.



HEAR ·

Unwavering Trust in Eternal Realties (Isaiah 25:1-26:21)

Sermon Notes

Reflect and Respond

1. What is God saying to you through His word this morning?

Next week's sermon is from Isaiah 27.

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